

**In The Title:**

Please replace the title with the following rewritten title:

B1 -- CARD CONNECTOR --

**In The Specification:**

Please add the following paragraph on page 1, after the title and before the Background of the Invention section:

**-- Cross Reference To Related Applications.**

have B2 The present application is a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/013,495, entitled "Card Connector", filed January 26, 1998, which is a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 08/775,532, filed January 2, 1997, entitled "Card Connector" and issued as U.S. Patent No. 5,713,747 on February 3, 1998, which was a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 08/369,614, entitled "Memory Card Connector", filed January 6, 1995, now abandoned. --

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel all claims 1-28 and add new claims 29-32, as indicated below:

B3 29. (Newly added) A memory card connector assembly mounted on a mother board, comprising:

a memory card connector apparatus comprising stacked memory card connectors, each having a plurality of contact tails extending backward on its rear side; and

a connection device vertically positioned on the rear side of the memory card connector apparatus and comprising a daughter board and a card edge connector, said daughter board electrically connected with some of the contact tails of the memory card connector apparatus and further having circuit pads on a bottom edge region thereof, wherein said card edge connector has a plurality of contacts mechanically and electrically mounted on the mother board and further has a slot facing upward for receiving said bottom edge region of the daughter board, so that

some signals may be transmitted between the mother board and the memory card connector apparatus via said connection device.

30. (Newly added) The memory card connector assembly as described in claim 29, wherein said contact tails of the memory card connectors generally extend horizontally and parallel with each other.

31. (Newly added) The memory card connector assembly as described in claim 30, wherein said daughter board includes a plurality of holes therein corresponding to said contact tails of the memory card connectors for receiving said contact tails therein.

32. (Newly added) A system comprising:

B3 a daughter board vertically positioned on a rear side of the electrical connector apparatus wherein contact tails of the connector apparatus generally extend backward horizontally and parallel with each other and are electrically connected to first conductive means on the daughter board, respectively, and wherein said daughter board further includes second conductive means adjacent a bottom edge;

a receiving connector mounted onto the mother board wherein said receiving connector comprises a plurality of contacts;

the electrical connector apparatus with pre-assembled daughter board being mounted onto the mother board under the condition that the second conductive means of the daughter board mechanically and electrically engage the contacts of the receiving connector so that each of contacts of the receiving connector electrically interconnects a corresponding pad on the mother board and a corresponding one of second conductive means of the daughter board for transmission of signals from the electrical connector apparatus through the daughter board and the receiving connector to the mother board;

wherein said first conductive means are spaced holes in the daughter board and the second conductive means are circuit pads on a bottom edge region of the daughter board, and said receiving connector is a card edge connector having a slot facing upward for receiving the bottom edge of the daughter board, and the contacts of the receiving connector project into the slot for engagement with the corresponding circuit pads on the daughter board, respectively.

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